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DOES 1-10, inclusive

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**DISTRICT OF NEVADA - RENO**

JAMES TURNER,  
  
Plaintiff,

vs.

CIGNA GROUP INSURANCE, INC., a  
corporation; aka CONNECTICUT GENERAL  
LIFE. aka LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF  
NORTH AMERICA, and DOES 1-10, inclusive,  
  
Defendant.

Case No. 3:18-cv-00314-MMD-WGC

**STIPULATION TO EXTEND  
MEDIATION DEADLINE (FIRST  
REQUESTED EXTENSION)  
ORDER THEREON**

Magistrate Judge: William G. Cobb

Mediation Cutoff: March 1, 2019  
Scheduled Mediation Date: March 12, 2019  
Complaint Filed: June 28, 2018

In accordance with Local Rule IA 3-1, this is a Stipulation respectfully requesting the Court to extend the existing mediation deadline which is currently set for March 1, 2019. As set forth below, the Parties have scheduled mediation for March 12, 2019.

WHEREAS, CIGNA GROUP INSURANCE, INC., a corporation. (sued herein as: aka CONNECTICUT GENERAL LIFE. aka LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA) (“LINA”), and JAMES TURNER (“Plaintiff”), (collectively referred to herein as the “Parties”), by and through their respective counsel of record, hereby stipulate as follows:

1           1.       On October 4, 2018, the Parties filed their Joint Case Management Report, indicating  
2 that the deadline to complete mediation would be March 1, 2019 (Doc No. 19);

3           2.       The Court, in its' Minutes of Proceedings, dated October 12, 2018, adopted the  
4 parties' Proposed Case Management Report, including the mediation schedule (Doc No. 20);

5           3.       The Parties mutually agreed to attend private mediation;

6           4.       The mutually agreed-upon mediation has been set for Tuesday, March 12, 2019 with  
7 Neutral, Edwin Oster, of Judicate-West, in Santa Ana, California

8           5.       The March 12, 2019 mediation date was the earliest date to conduct the mediation  
9 given the schedules of the mediator, the Parties, and their counsel;

10          6.       This is the first stipulation for extension of time to complete the mediation.

11          7.       The Parties do not believe that this extension will prejudice any party or result in  
12 undue delay.

13          8.       Lastly, the Parties' stipulate that no later than **March 15, 2019**, they will file a Joint  
14 Status Report regarding the outcome of said mediation.

15          The Parties respectfully request that, for good cause the Court grant the proposed continuation  
16 of the mediation deadline for the reasons stated above.

17 **IT IS SO STIPULATED.**

18 Dated: March 1, 2019

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**Filer's Attestation**

The filing attorney attests that she has obtained concurrence regarding the filing of this document and its content from the signatories to this document.

**ORDER**

**IT IS SO ORDERED:**

DATED: March 1, 2019 2019



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THE HONORABLE WILLIAM G. COBB  
U.S MAGISTRATE JUDGE